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Offensive Bathing Costumes. Bathers at Ocean Grove and Asbury Park are catching hard knocke from the

correspondents all around. Says a writer

in the Albany Journal: "There is a conglomeration of sexes in and march into the surf hand in hand, arm unto both the learned and illiterate a They spend a.u.h time in the water hold ing to one another; yer, and in folling on the sands for an hour or two afterwards. It little child lives, grows and develops into a I was not convinced of the decorum and beautiful woman, so does the little bud live,

A BOUQUET . By Rev. Joe A. Munday.

Some days since the tender hands of a christian lady of Stanford conveyed to me a large and beautiful bonquet, to which was attached a card on which was written: "Please accept from ladies as a small token of useir appreciation of the good work you are doing for the cause of prohibition." It was made of the most beautiful and lovely flowers I ever saw, and was ever so much appreciated. For days it was kept in my room until the withering hand robbed it of its fragrance and beauty. Frequently when I would lay myself down to rest after speak. ing or preaching, I would gez; upon it and think, it is not only beautiful, but a teacher sent from God. Esch little flower is a teacher so profound that they stand ir refutable. They tell us of God.

I They teach of His existence. The be lief of the existence of God may be said to be natural to man. Hence, it may be deemed by some unaccessary to enter upon a proof of His existence; and to others it may appear irreverent, because it seems, in the first instance, to call in question a truth of which it is impiety to doubt. But athe ism has been avowed. The spirit of impie ty has gone forth and is laboring by arts of sophistry to persuade men to throw away their bibles and their reason. Pretentions are made to demonstrate that there is no intelligent Boing who presides over nature - ao Law-giver whom we are bound to obey; no Judge who will call us to account. In short, that the idea of a God, wise, righteous and holy, is a superstitious dream. Persons teaching such heresy, though profeering to be learned, and perhaps even claiming to he the guardians of science, are nevertheless its greatest enemies, and are deluded by their own reasoning. But the unbelief of men can not frown truth into falsehood, nor can the belief of men smile -falsehood into truth. Hence the belief or unbelief of mortals can not in the least of fect those truths that God has established inherent in nature, and with which His unbounded universe swarms. Much time and thought have been spent in trying to prove the existence of God by metaphysical arguments. But arguments of this character require such acuteness of intellect and close attention to understand them that they are therefore useless to the greater part of men. But while so many are incapacitated to comprehend metaphysical arguments, they can find in flowers irrefutable arguments adapted to common capaci. fort and relief to suffering humanity. ties and founded upon things obvious to reason!" Let him hear the fragrant voice a sermon on the ministry of flowers.

of flowers, as it is bougas upon every breeze. It is the golden on ariot of truth, the boast of prohibitioni-te, who have rewhich rolls in i.s m j-stie course in dura- ferred to the successful operation of the tion coeval with our globe, and which with prohibitory law there on all occasions But ever increasing power, unsgnificence and the following from the last issue of the News glory, is destined to roll on in living gran- which selvocated the passage of the law and dear, snatching from the mouldering tomb is still its strong supporter, is not very enof atheism truth, and gather new accessions couraging and we hope the same can never of intellectual beauty. In flowers there is be said of the law in Lincoln: more satisfactory evidence of the existence of God than all the reasoning of men. The celebrated Mr. Whiston on one occasion, alized; a drunken man was seldom seen at while conversing with Dr. Clark about his any of the little towns in the county or at discourse concerning the Being and atri- the county seat, and the good effects of the butes of God, pointed to a nettle and said: law were prevalent throughout the length "That weed furnishes more satisfactory ev- and breadth of the county. But later this idence than all your abstruce reasoning." state of affairs has materially changed and So with flowers. They furnish more satis- whicky has been and is being sold to an iscory evidence than all the metaphysical, alarming extent, as the number of drunken the water at Ocean Grove must be a feature physiological and philosophical arguments men sean upon the streets daily give eviof the place. The young men and the that can be brought to bear by man. They dence. The opinion of the non prohibiyoung women go down to the rea together stand as natural philosophers imparting tionists that the law would not be enforced

strict propriety of everything Methodist, I grow and expand, until it becomes a beauwould not he situte to say that I think it ful flower. Floral and human life is sap the most lax and improper place on the and blood. As by air blood is driven thro' Ameaican coast. Where the parents of the the body, giving activity to the vitalizing young people are, or what they are think- machinery, so is esp mysteriously forced seem determined to override its provisions, ing of, is more than I can imagine! 'Pret- through the little pipes of plants and shrub- or will you show these law breakers that ty is as pretty does' is a nomely old saying, bery and gives life to the flower. As I write you are not to be trifled with in this mat but a good many of these girls prove that I can look from my window and see a full. ter? the proverb won', a and upcetting so as to blown geranium, It is a living beauty. By read: 'Pretty dose that pretty is.' I heard whom is this vitality given? By whom was of a strange thing the first day I was there. the complicated machinery by which it is much when they boycotted New Hamp-A bery of raw country girls from some- carried on made? God, is the answer that shire. They withdrew because of the paswhere in the pine forcets came on an ex | comes up from every flower. By electric | sage of a law that when an insurance comcursion. They wanted to bathe, but they forces their living 'e timony of God is pany should accept premiums for a total declared they would not appear in the bourne upon every passing breeze with the loss of \$5,000 it should pay for a total foes suits they saw all the other women weer rapidity of the lightning's blaze, as it writes of \$5,000 instead of bulldozing the victim Leavell last week. Rev. Charles Reid, who ing. They wanted it understood that they its forky gambols on the bosom of the dark would never dare look at their faces in a cloud. Is the flower the reality? No; but glass again if they were ever seen in such im | the result of an invisible cause and that unmodest ature So what in patience's name | seen cause is God, the reality and life of the do you suppose ther die? They went down flower. It is impossible in the very nature to the beach to a sharty, with whose in and constitution of things that an absolute tal loss, let that company accept premiums Cleo Williams, of Mt. Vernon, were guests mates one of them was acquainted, and perfection of substance can be philosophicpresently resppeared clothed from head to ally maintained without this admission. feet in linen wrappers. They thought it That God is the reality and life of flowers, for the follies of rate wars. As a result of this place. Col. Tom Nawman and Major unnecessary to have anything under these lastill further proved by comparison. By garments. In that garb they took to the the hand of man a piece of wax may be so shire 15 mutual and 18 town mutual corpowater. Fortunately for them there were shaped and colored that it will imitate one rations. It will keep a great deal of money not over twenty men and bars at that part of nature's flowers that we can not, from an of the beach, but the whole twenty ran af- external appearance, distinguish the slightter them laughing and hooting at them est difference. But compare it with the when they emerged from the water, with natural flower. It is the same size, shape these paper like wrappers sticking to their and color. What is there lacking? It has ter of Jefferson Dayle, is in the city visit and pleasantly expressed. A person who bodies like so many suits of adhesive plas no life. Neither can man form within it ing the family of Rev. Dr. J. William Some of them looked very much like the vital power. Man may with wax and Jones, the secretary of the Southern Hisartists' models, and some (those that wore other materials make a perfect bud in ap- torical Society. Miss Davis was born in calico with a big pattern printed on) look- pearance. But a bud it must remain. He the Confederate Executive Mansion here ed more like tatooed sisters of that Greek can not give it living power to increase in who traveled with Barnum and whose body size hour by hour, until it unfolds a perresembles an animated section of a fre coed feet flower. Not so with nature's buds. To day we see them small. A week hence vis' first visit here since she left as a babe we see them larger and ready to open a lovely flower. From whence comes this life? It is produced by the voluntary power of God. In the order of pature there never was a flawer seed but what grew from the flower; and there never was a ly welcomed by the Richmond people. flower but what came from the seed. Geology proves that there was a period when there were no flowers on this globe. Which was first, the seed or the flower? If the seed was first then there was a flower which no Goo? Nature can not start itself. There

> fore it existed. 21. Flowers possess the power of action. morning sun appears, kissing away the dews of night, when, with the same active power, they unfold their leaves. Torough what medium do they derive this power? The only answer that can be given is God. To srificial flowers man can give no such

must be a first cause, or nature acted be-

II. Flowers teach the Love of God.

1st By their beauty. So great was God's love for man when he created the world that be adapted it to our natural faculties Instead of making it a dreary, barren and waste desert, wrapped in solitude and midnight blackness, he decorated it with beautiful flowers. The same invisible hand that touched the springs of action and stroyed." bade them come forth with so much beauty and grandeur could have formed them with less beauty than the thistle or some other obnoxious plant.

21. The love of God is strikingly manife. ted in the value of flowers. They not only, by their beauty, aid the decorative mind and hand, but furnish physical aid. When the Creator raised the sword, of justice to drive man from his once blissful home in which he was surrounded by Eien's flow. ers, He did not blight the flowers. Had He desired He could have made them a curse. But instead of a curse they are a blessing. From them is extracted medicines by which the various organs of the body are aided to perform their natural functions. Concealed in their little stems and leaves, they carry human life. From them is distilled the delightful perfume so acceptable to the human senses. Oa! what amszing love. God so loved the world that in flowers He furnished delight, com-

Many thanks to the good ladies who our tenses. Where, then, is the atheist sent the bouquet. To me it has been a who says, "I long for truth founded upon subject of thought, furnished material for concluding with the words: "Pulverize

Hardin county has for a long time been

For nearly a year after the last ealoun was closed our expectations were fully reis being verified. This state of affairs can in arm. It is the rule with few exceptions, knowledge of the Being and existence of not exist long; either the men who voted for prohibition must rise up and put a 1st. In flowers we have vitality. As a stop to the violation of the law, or the act will be repealed and intoxicants allowed to be sold under the restrictions of the State law. Which shall it be, citizens of Hardin county? It is for you to decide Do you propose to have the act that you fought so hard to secure nullified by a few men who

> A year's experience has shown that the fire insurance companies undertook too into an acceptance of a lesser sum. That law was just. It was needed. It is needed at home -something like \$400,000 a year. -[Current

not long before the close of the war, and for that reason her father calls her the "Daugh ter of the Confederacy." This is Miss Dawith her parents on the eventful night of April 3d, when the capital of the Confeder. acy was evacuated by the Southern army. She is pretty and accomplished and during the several weeks of her stay will be warm --[Richmond (Va.) Dispatch.

A PROSE POEM -No clamor meets the statesman grand, he passes through a voiceless land; the lofty poet garland bound is did not come from the seed. Where then passed by throngs without a sound; the iron is the starting point of floral life, if there is captain, battle-scarred, ungreeted walks without regard; the orator of silver tongue, Hands, Cai/blains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions unwept, unhonored and unaung with scholor uprosr; the kings of fame and lords of As the evening hades creep over the hills thought, whose brains have delved, whose with the mantle of darkness, some flowers hands have wrought, pass by the crowd in that themselves up until the rays of the all its pride unnoticed on the other sidebut hear the brazen trump of fame, the concord of the land's acclaim, burst forth from every shouting rank to cheer the Bridge and barrel crank .- [Lynn Union.

> Judge Brewer, of the United States Cir ouit Court in Kansas, has rendered a decision that the attempted enforcement of prohibition laws to the utter destruction of property which has been in good faith in vested in a perfectly legitimate and necessary branch of business is to be checked. He says, "beyound any doubt the State can prohibit the defendant from continuing the business of brewing, but before it can do so it must pay the value of the property de-

Gen. E. H. Hobson, of Greensburg, recently drew \$6,000 as arrears of pension, and he at once set about to have a reunion of the brigade be commanded during the war. The eyent will be celebrated at Greensburg soon and everybody is invited. The General contributed 1,000 sheep and 100 beeves to the barbecue, at which all For sale by Penny & McAlister, Druggism. visitors will be feasted.

Prohibition is a prominent topic in many States this year, but this must not be mistaken for temperance. . There is a wide difference. The temperance man is one down felling, Irregularities, Barrenness, Change of who doe-n't drink himself, and is better for it. The prohibitionist concerns himtil he becomes a nuisance .- [Louisville gists. Prices \$1 and \$1 50 per bettle. Send to Dr. Commercial.

Let the American people remember that such an infernal nuisance as the young man with the chestnut bell never came into existence under a republican administration. [Chicago Tribune, Rep.

For the last three years the Toledo Blade has had an editorial in each issue the rum power."

GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT.

Lancaster.

-As executor of Joe Baker, deed., H. C. Kauffman sold on Wednesday the Joe Baker farm, on the Copper Creek pike, conaining 210 acres, to Robert Conn, at \$26 28

-Mr D. M. Lackey has purchased of T. Currey his store of groceries, &c , and will continue the business at the old stand. Continued ill hea'th is Mr Carrey's resecn for retiring from business.

Circus day brought the usual crowd to own, despite the slippery condition of the weather and the sloppy condition of the freets. Everything passed off quietly and no arrests were made. The less that is aid of the performance the better.

Winchester Conference to fill the pulpit of the Lancaster Methodist church for the ensuing year, beginning with next Sunday. Rev. Peeples will also preach at Kirks. ville. He is a brother of Rev. John R. Peoples, who as pastor of the same church several years ago, made many friends in this community.

-We are handed the following with a request to publish: On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 22, 23 and 24, will be held the grandest convention ever held in the State Delegates from each union are expicted. Mr. and Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Chapin, of South Carolins, and Mrs. Buell, of Chicago, will be present. The fame of these speakers has extended far and no one should let the opportunity pass.

-Dr. Nelson Mays, of Paint Lick, was in town Wednesday. The doctor has pur chased property near Lowell. Misses Mayme Duan, Sue Cecil and Jane Leavell, three handsome and popular young ladies of Harrodsburg, were guests of Miss Emma has been evangelizing in the mountain counties all summer, is at home on a visit everywhere. All honor to the people of Capt. and Mrs. E W. Lillard have return New Hampshire for passing it! If a com- ed from Louisville. Misses Annie Holmes pany wishes to pay only a \$1,000 for a to and Jennie Kennedy, of Ccab Orchard, and for only \$1,000. The companies have often of Mrs. J. T. Higgins, Tuesday. Mr. Mike relied on the "scaling" of losses to recoup Elkin, of Missouri, is visiting relatives at the boycott, there are now in New Hamp- Theo. King, of Crab Occhard Springs, took in the circus Tuesday

¿ Oaly "gents" say "thanks," Gentlemen say "thank you." If a courtesy is worth an acknowledgement, the acknowledge-THE DAUGHTER OF THE CONFEDERACY. mest should not be chopped down into a -Miss Winnie Davis, the youngest daugh vulgar monesyllable. It should be fully habitually says "thanks" always ests with his knife and talks in a parlor in a ten acre voice .- [Washington Hatchet.

A citizen at Olneyville, R. I., bragged that he could get a drink on Sunday, and to prove it, confidentially asked a doctor for something to brace bim up. The doctor knew the man and wrote a prescription calling for aqua pura; the druggist saw the joke and put up the water in a flit bottle and charged a round price for it. The buyers remarks when he tested the dose are not reportable.

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W. P. WALTON.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Congress, JAMES B. MCCREARY.

THE Maine election resulted, of course, in a victory for the republicans, but it was pretty much like the Dutch capturing Holland. Their candidate for Governor was elected by about 10,000 majority, which is about half of the majority of two years ago. All four of the republican candidates for Congress, including Reed, were elected. The Legislature is pretty solidly republican, though the democrats gain three members in the Senate and three in the House. The probibition vote, which so frightened Blaine, did not materialize to any great extent. That individual may claim the result a victory, but it is not a famous one by any means.

WE have received with the compliments of Col. T. S. Bronston, Collector for this Internal Revenue district, a copy of Commissioner Miller's report of the condition of the service. The total collections for the fiscal year were \$112,421,121 07, an increase of over four millions as compared with last year, yet it cost \$155,000 less to collect it, the average being 3.67 per cent. The collections in Kentucky foot up \$15,746,940 --59, which is a million more than New York and larger than any State in the Union, except Illinois.

THE colored population of Lexington is much sgitated now and is preparing for the end of the world, which many of them think will occur Sep. 29. A negro woman, supposed to be dead, was placed in a coffin and the lid laid upon it. But after lying there for awhile, she suddenly determined to get up and did so, after kicking vigorously at the lid. Her first words were that the earth would be destroyed on the date named, and the negroes are convinced that she knew what she was talking about

EPEAKING of Gov. McCreary the Danville Advocate says: Our candidate is so thoroughly acceptable to the party, and has made us such a faithful representative that every democrat will feel in honor bound to accord him hearty and earnest support, and therefore we look for, and confidently expect, a larger majority will be given Gov. McCreary than was returned for him two years ago. He is already on the stump and our friends throughout the district may rely upon his doing his whole duty.

JAMES G. BLAINE, youngest son of his ing Miss Marie, daughter of Col. Neyine, at Columbus, O. Miss Nevins being a Cathoemony was regular both legally and in the eyes of the Church. The young man had establishing his claim of marriage, and profited by it.

THE report that Judge B. P. White, of Manchester, had been shot from ambush and instantly killed, turns out, we are glad to say, to be untrue. Since we have learned that the Judge, who is a cousin of John D. White, is the only democrat in the family of Whites, we are more anxious than ever that he may be spared from the assassin's bullet.

THE Republican Convention at Maysville after nominating Worthington, Culbertson, Burchard and January, successively for Congress, each of whom declined with thanks the empty honor, a nomination was finally made which stuck, that of George M. Thomas, who was formerly U. S. District Attorney.

THERE is only one October election this and Indiana are now November States.

THE republicans speak of their Congressthat he is for mixed schools.

THE Newport Journal says it will interest thin women to know that the Southern cotton crop is very fine. Dittoe, you ought to go somewhere. Havn't you learned yet that cotton is no longer used for such purposes?

Ir begins to look like children unboin killed. will never live to the end of the trial of the for lying. The further consideration of it | ed that he had acted improperly, whereup has been postponed tfll November 9.

ANOTHER bond call for \$15,000,000 of a very gratifying disposition of the treasu- rawhide. ry surplus and ought to be continued till it is reduced to the minimum.

gueta, Ga. One side of the churches is over the line.

"THE KENTS," a new serial story by Malaureate, will begin in Frank Leelie's Sep- against the Adams Express Co., for \$29, tember 25.

-A company has been formed in Chaterect a new 100 ton blast furnace.

-From Chicago there depart and arrive 567 passenger trains daily,

MOTES OF CHAPENT EVENTS.

-Winchester, Va., has adopted prohibi tion by a majority of 169. -Col. John B. Young, one of the ablest

criminal lawyers in Virginia, is dead. He was about 70 years of age. -Mrs. R. B. Hayes, wife of the presiden-

tial fraud, is visiting Dr. Skillman's family in Lexington, who are her relatives. -The New Hampshire republicans have

nominated Charles H. Sawyer for Governor and adopted the customary platform. -The democrate have thus far renominated 93 members of the present House and defeated 69. The republicans have renominated 64 and defeated 25.

-Gen. Bragg, member of Congress from the Second Wisconsin district, has been retired by his constituents, after a two weeks' tussle for the nomination.

-Buffalo is going to have a tremendous clock. The dials will be twenty-five feet in diameter, 361 feet above the street, and and lighted by electricity.

- Ex-Mayor Hooper Phillips, of Nash ville, was accidentally shot in the head and instantly killed by Mr. Rsins, while hunting in the Northwest a few days ago.

-Oaly \$25,025,600 of the government ? per cent. bonds are now outstanding, of which \$2,696,550 are overdue. Another call of ten millions is expected in a few

-Hill, the alleged accomplice of Jim Holland, the man who shot Davis in New York while trying to negotiate the "queer," has been shot and killed in the interior of

-In Bell county, which has but 800 votes, two-thirds of whom are republicans, over 400 indictments have just been found for giving and taking bribes at the August

-Of the 137 counties in Georgia, 108 have absolute prohibition and 12 others have partial prohibition. There are only 17 counties in Georgia where whisky is in full swing.

-It will take at least \$1,000,000 in Charleston to put necessary repairs to the houses of persons who are utterly unable, unaided, to make their houses safe and habitable.

-Eugene Higgins, Appointment Clerk of the Treasury, is to be promoted to be Chief of the Secret Service Division of the Treasury, with an increase of \$750 in his annual salary.

-Joseph Bertram, of Wayne, the candidate for Congress, who held out longest against Botts, has retired from the political arena for awhile and gone to teaching school at \$50 per month.

-Arthur Arthbuthnot, in jail at Covington, Tenn., confesses that he murdered Ex-Mayor Bowman, o f East St. Louis, and that a prominent railroad vice-president paid him \$2,500 to do it.

-The Woman's National Temperance Union has secured 200,000 signatures of women to a petition asking Congress to father, has surprised his relatives, who raise the age of legal consent of girls to their own ruin to eighteen

-The latest cholera returns from Italy show 69 new cases and 33 deaths. Since lic, a dispensation had to be granted for the the disease made its first appearance this marriage, which was procured and the cer- season the number of cases aggregate 45,-000, with a total of 14,000 deaths.

-Public Printer Benedict, who took heard something of his father's troubles in charge Wednesday, is reported as saying that it is impossible to find a republican among the employees in his departmentthat is if their own evidence is admitted.

-John Williamson, superintendent of the Scholzes soap factory, at Chattanooga, fell 150 feet over a precipice on Lookout Mountain Monday and was instantly killed, his body being frightfully mangled.

-The Western Associated Press and the as a gift to the Charleston reporters who stood by their posts and sent out the first full and accurate reports of the earthquake.

-Mr, Blaine is said to have granted his precocious nineteen-year-old son, James G, Jr., \$1,800 per annum on which to support his new and youthful wife, and will not invite the couple to reside under the going to church. He instituted a prosecuparential roof.

-The Deaf Mute Asylum at Danville year. It is in Georgia, and it will occur opens Wednesday, Sep. 15. All deaf perthree weeks from Tuesday. Gen. Gordon is sons of sound mind, between the ages of 10 sure to be elected as Goyernor and there is and 30, residing in the State, are entitled little political interest in the event. Ohio to board and tuition free of charge. There is a department exclusively for colored pu-

-At Huntsyille, Ala., Mrs. James B. ional candidate, Judge Finley, as "six feet Trotter, who has been confined to her bed fixed by lawfor over-charge, and that as Mr. dle of the bosom and back, was remarkathree and got a barrel of money." It will for many years, procured a razor and altake several barrels and then some more to most severed her head from body: Her pull him through, after his announcement daughter, who was sleeping with her, knew road was at an end. Right or wrong, the nothing of her mother's terrible death for lawyers convinced the Court that this was hours.

-An excursion train from Ashtabula, O., to Niagara Falls, upon which there were 300 passengers, collided with a freight train near Silver Creek, N. Y., and both were thrown from the track. A great many persons were wounded and several

-Maj. Van Hagan, of Chicago, was cow-Rey. Converse brothers by their Presbytery hided at Dallas, Tex., by a lady who claimon he went off and got drunk and staid so till delerium tremens took him to a world so that the edges are exactly even. Both of the 3 per cents, has been made. This is where women are not so handy with the checks are then torn irregularly across and important business would make it necessa-

-A company has been organized by citizens of Western Kentucky in conjunction THEY stick to primitive ways in Au- ville division from Providence to Clay Vilthe men and the latter dare not deaden S. R. Knott, J. G. Metcalf and other well-

known railroad men. jor Henry T. Stanton, Kentucky's poet county, has brought suit in Louisville. 000 because of an alleged malicious prosecution. The Company had him arrested the chance are that he will think that the tanooga, with a capital stock of \$175,000, to for stealing a lot of pictures and incarcerated in jail 156 days when he was an innocent man. Col. Sam M. Burdett is one

books of gold leaf to gild the great dome fourths of whom, one of the judges tells us, at Notre Dame University, Ind. The work is going on now.

section ran into the first section, demolishing the engine and six cars, killing several mules and one horse and scattering whisky barrels and dry goods.

-As Monroe Goodyear, of Scranta, Ia., was feeding his horses one switched his tail, and to keep it from striking his face Monroe seized it. Just at that moment lightning struck the barn, killed this horse and another, knocked down two others. threw Mr. Goodyear some distance, and set fire to the barn. Goodyear regained consciousness in time to extinguish the fire.

-In his Shelbyville speech, Monday, Goy. McCreary announced himself in opposition to the civil service law and predicted its early expungement from the statutes of the country. He also expressed his gratification at the defeat of so many alleged democrats who voted against consideration of the Morrison Tariff Bill, and predicted the early political death of the survivore. The applause showed that his large audience was in entire sympathy with his views .- [Louisville Times.

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

-Ed Miller is having a pertion of the public room of the Clemens House fenced off to be used as a barber shop. -Louis Cohn has returned from New

York and Cincinnati, where he has been to lay in a stock of "sheep clodings."

-Mr. Henry W. Evans has been the pa rent of a little daughter since Wednesday morning. Mrs. Evans was formerly Miss Sallie Engleman. The grandpa, Mr. J. H Engleman, of the Farmere National Bank, is doing well.

-"The young workers" of the Baptist church, Miss Dora Harris, President, will meet at the residence of Mr. John Stodghill Friday night. After the transaction of the church business the remainder of the the evening will be spent in literary exercises.

-Rev. Green Clay Smith's family left Danville to-day after a sojourn of several months. Mrs. Smith goes to Louisville, where she will soon be joined by her husband, who is now in Whitley county. The young ladies will go to New York

-Rev. Wm Pawling, for some time con fined in the Lexington Lunatic Asylum, writes to a friend under date of the 11th inst., that he was more than anxious to leave his present quarters. His letter seems to indicate that his reason has been

restored. -Col. Richard C. Nichols, a conscientious commercial evangelist, who represents ring always the Speaker; that President a Tea house of Louisville, was in town sev- Cleveland is honest and conscientious and eral days this week. Mr. Wm. Ayers, of growing stronger with the people, but has the Louisville bar, was in town yesterday and to-day, taking depositions in the case of the Fidelity Trust Safety Vault Co. ys. John Yeiser, &c, now pending in one of

the Louisville courts. -The marriage of Mr. John J. Samuel to Miss Marie Agnes Bright is announced to take place to-day at 2 o'clock at the residence of the lady's step father, Mr. Edward McCarty. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Father Hugh J. Brady, of Louisville, and according to the ritual of the Catholic church, of which the bride is a member. After the ceremony there will be a dinner at the family residence, after which the newly married couple will leave the same fiscal year the payments were New York Associated Press have sent \$500 on a short trip to Cincinnati and St. Louis, \$65,747,280. The new names added to the and upon their return they will have rooms

at Giltner's hotel. -The prosecution of the Danville & Hustonville turnpike company, for charging illegal toll, has been dismissed by Judge Lee, before whom it was tried. It seems that Mr. James R. Dodds, of this county, was charged toll one Sunday while mitted, the attorneys for the road contending, however, that as one portion of the charter provided a penalty for an over-charge | pounds. - [Washington Poet. of toll, and as another part said that no toll | should be charged persons going to church, that the rates fixed by law had not been added to, or interfered with in the least, and that the road was not amenable to the fine Dodds was tendered back the money collected from him, the responsibility of the the view to be taken of the matter and the case was accordingly dismissed.

A New Dedge.

We are indebted to a friend who has been nipped, for an explanation of a trick which has been successfully employed for swindling several banks in various Eastern cities. A check, say for \$10, is obtained from a depositor of a bank, and a blank check exactly like the filled-in check is secured, The two books are laid one upon the other. in such a way that the signature on the ry for the President to return direct to filled check appears on one piece and the amount and name of payee on the other. with the L. & N. to extend the Madison- The checks having been held together while sheet envelopes? Edith-Yee; they are being torn, of course one piece of the blank just lovely. "I have not tried them yet." lage, in Webster county, a distance of about check will exactly fill the other piece of the "You must get some, dear. After writing set spart for the ladies and the other for eight miles. The directors include Messrs. filled check. The swindler then fills in your letter, you have the whole of the inone piece of the blank check with the name | side of the envelope for postscripts." of the payee and an amount to suit himself -W. E. Singleton, formerly of Boyle say \$5,000, takes it with a piece of the genuine check containing the signature to the bank and explains that the check was She - By the time you are able to proaccidentally torn. The teller can put the vide as good a table as your father does, pieces together and as they will fit exactly, my dear." pieces are parts of the same check and become a victim of the swindle. The trick of course suggests its own remedy. The teller should refuse to pay any check that is mu.

-- Controller Durham will attend the KINGS MOUNTAIN, -The vote for and meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fel- against the sale of liquors was about equal lows that takes place in Boston next week. among the citizens of this precinct, but -It will cost \$4,000 and take 6,000 about 45 negroes from the railroad, threehad no right to vote, raised the majority in favor of whisky to 34. Prohibition is being -Two freight trains going north on the initiated to-day with jugs and demijohns. K. C. collided near Falmouth. The second If there is any truth in the saying that the patient dies harder when the moorners grieve in his presence, the whicky traffic surely dies hard here. Joe Fisher and Abe Miller were the only two colored persons that voted for prohibition .- J. S. Pennybacker, who has been very ill, is improving. T. H. Whiftle has gone to Bright, Ind., to attend the wedding of his brother .- Eight car loads of fine stock passed here for the Somerset Fair .- It is reported that a large saloon is to be erected at Dancan, just across the Lincoln line. If so we will have to appeal to our sister Pulaski to try prohibition

> James M. Swormstedt, the noted Holy Prophet of Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, says that the recent earthquake was caused by bad spirits in the bowels of the earth. "They are intelligent men, and have complete knowledge of the use of dynamite, gunpowder, etc. They have been trying to blast a passage to the surface of the earth and thus escape from bondage. The explosions incident to these operations have caused the earthquakes. I have foretold these phenomena. It is a sign of the end of the Caristian age. The United States will be destroyed in two years, and all the wicked people die and the others will go to Palestine." Swomstedt will be remember ed by the Pink Cottage Faith Cure people here, as the deformed crank, who came to have his body made whole by prayer, oil

> A husband who was apprised of his wife's flirtation with the handsome basso of a comic opera company at Long Branch, wired her that he would run down from New York and arrive at Long Branch at 6.47. Instead he arrived early in the afternoon, and saw her drive off in the family equipage with the basso. He followed in a hired cab for a long distance, then called to his own driver, who halted. Stepping out of his hired equipage he sent it back, forced the baseo to mount the box by the coachman, stepped in and sat by his wife, and then had the coachman drive very slowly by in full view of the hotel. The flirtation was completely broken up .- [N

> Senator Beck says that John Sherman is the ablest statesmau among the republicans of the Senate, and that Reed, of Maine, occupies a corresponding position in the House; that Speaker Carlisle and Col. Mor rison are the leading democrate in the House, but that with a little more experience Breckinridge, of Kentucky, will develop into the ablest man on the floor, barmade blunders, and a good many of them upon the financial question; and that he would be renominated if the convention was to be held this year, but what will happen two years from now is bard to tell.

> The whole number of pensioners who on account of the rebellion have been borne upon the pension rolls in the period from 1861 to June 3, 1886, is 561.881. The whole amount paid to these pensioners during that period was \$830,840,020,18. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1886. there were issued 81,422 pension certificates; for the month of June alone there were issued 10,375 certificates, and that for rolls foot up 43,166, of which 2,314 were

It is estimated that the annual revenue from the two-cent tax on oleomargarine will amount to one million dollars. This is on the basis of a home consumption of fifty million pounds, and is a low estimate The exports of oleomargarine last year tion, when the fact of the charge was ad- amounted to nearly thirty eight million pounds. The total production of butter in the United States in 1880 was 777,250,587

A young woman wore a dress to a hop at Bar Harbor in this syle: "One half of the waist was high, with long, closely-fitting sleeve and high military collar. The other half, beginning at exactly the midnarrow shoulder strap."

George Miller, serving out a tenyearsentence in an Iodiana prison, heard of the prison trick of eating soap in order to appear to be wasting away, and thus gain a pardon. The scheme worked too well. Miller's throat is ulcerated, he can not take even liquid nourishment, and is more than likely to die.

-Mrs. Grant invited Mrs. Cleveland and the President to stop at her home at Elberon on their return from the Adirondacke, to which Mrs. Cleveland responded, thanking her for the courtesy, and regretting that style. Washington.

Maud-Have you seen the new letter-

He-"I wonder when you will be able to set as good a table as my mother does?"

The difference between some men and [Woodburg (Ark.) Vidette.



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PERSONAL.

-J. B. AND S. M. Owens are in Somerset this week.

-MISS BETTIE PARTON has gone to visit in Louisville.

-MRS. T. L CROW, of Nicholasville, it

visiting relatives here. -Miss Lucy Tate left Tuesday to re-

enter Daughtere' College. -MISS MARY SMILEY returned with Miss Etla Smiley from Danville yesterday: -MISS BEAUREGARD STEWART, of Crab

Orchard, is visiting at Mr. Harry Dunn's. -MRS LULA C. BROCK was to give an elocution entertainment in Columbia last night. -WILL SEVERANCE has taken Henry

Wilson's late position in the store of S. H. law executed. -MESSRS MARK HARDIN, E. C. Wal.

erset Fair. -MRS. SUSAN WARREN left yesterday to

Purdum, in Missouri. -Miss Ellen Ballou will leave next week for Cincinnati, where she will enter

the Conservatory of Music. -MR. Jos. K. SMITH, one of our English settlers, will sail in a few days for England, where'he goes to dispose of some prop

erty. He will return in eix weeks. -MR. JOHN T. GANO, extensively engaged in the real estate and cattle business in Texas, with headquarters at Dallas, has joined his wife here. He says the ranche in which he is interested has been singular ly free from the effects of the great drouth and that the loss of cattle has been less than one per cent, lower even than the aver-

-Ms. F. J. Campbell, manager of Rock Castle Springs, stopped over here Tuesday to see his mother, on his return from Harrodsburg, whither he went to take his daughter, Miss Naunearle, to Daughters' College. Mr. Campbell is greatly pleased with the results of this year's season, and says he has no further doubts as to the great future of the resort, after making money such a summer as the past. He will begin at once to add 30 rooms to the capacity of the place.

LOCAL MATTERS.

SPLENDID cigars at Waters & Wearen's,* THE Pay Train arrived on time yester-

FRESH FISH and Ofsters to morrow. S.

S. Myers.

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It is reported that Miss Ella Smiley has sold her millinery establishment to Mrs. Kate Dudderar.

THE reaction that always follows undue excitement is upon us, and Stanford is experiencing the dullest of weeks.

CAPT JOHNSTON says it is a mistake about his opening a store. He has such an idea in view, but not at present.

Now is your chance to get a bargain at Metcalf & Foster's. Their stock is larger and more complete than ever before. .

COME and see the latest improvement

in Water Elevators and force pumps before making your purchase. Wearen & Mene-REPORTS from the bedside of George

Carter, who was cut by Will Murphy, are to the effect that he is doing well, and will recover unless pneumonia sets in. The wound is in the lungs.

I HAVE for sale 45 Hives of Bees, 3 Cows, 1 Binder, 1 Wheat Drill, 40 bushe's of Petatoes, 1 half Norman Stallion, 1 Buggy, 1 Wagon. Wish to sell at public sale 18th Sept. W. H. Bartleson, Stanford. 2t.

THE chestnut bell has had its day and in its place comes a neatly printed, blackbordered card. When a fellow gets off something especially ancient or extravagant, the card is produced, upon which are these words: "I am something of a liar myself." It is even more effective than the

100 questions to propound to each proper- term of office had expired, he must produce to the deaconate and eldership of the ty holder and there is a probability that he proof of the statements in his answer, or he church at the present conference is thir- A 1-Horse Power Tiffin, O., Well Drill will be considered most too inquisitive, but would give judgment against him, but teen you'll have to crin and bear his seeming pending further proceedings the case was

impertmence.

FOR SALE .- 150 barrels of corn in field at my place, two miles from Stanford. G. A. Swinebroad.

JIM ISAACS, a brakeman from Gravel Switch, had hie wrist mangled while coupling cars at Altamont, Wednesday.

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THE prohibition law goes into immediate effect so far as the drug stores and distilleries are concerned. The latter have had the privilege of selling by the quart.

A GENTLEMAN who drove from Shelby City yesterday says that he counted 350 large hay etacks in sight of the road. There is double as much corn and hay in this county as there is stock to eat it.

as the issue has been decided it is weeles head in the least. to burden our columns with them. We have had enough of such matter. Let us all turn our attention now to having the

CHARLIE CARSON'S new monkey, which he got in a trade with a wandering Italian, ton and R G Hail are attending the Som- is the smartest animal of the kind we ever saw. In fact he appears to have more sense than the average individual who objects to spend several months with her son, R. V. the proposition that he has descended from the brutes. He can do more funny trieks than a circus clown and as the season is far spent and no sign of a circus yet ap. George were married at Miss Mary Warpears, we suspect the monkey is our only chance for a show. But he is a good one and it only takes an occasional nickel to eee him perform.

> WHILE here on legal business Tuesday we asked Judge J. S. Van Winkle what effect had the prohibitory liquor law in Danville: "It has minimized the amount of drinking to one now where ten drinks were formerly taken. Whisky can be obtained at many places in the city, I regret to sae, and it will be so until public sentiment reaches that point as to make it impossible, but it is not displayed to tempt the eye, and there is more or less difficulty for the unnitiated to procure it. I for one would earnestly oppose a return to the license system, for I am sure the city has pproved in morals tenfold."

our Tuesday's issue. The total vote is 2,532, which the remains will be taken to Danor 483 less than that cast in the circuit ville for interment. judge's race at the August election, when 2,965 were cast between the two contest outnumbering the anti's about five to one. Following is the vote by precincts, "for" representing the vote for whisky:

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PRECINCTS.	For	Against
Stanford, No. 1	222	205
" No. 2	229	193
Turnersville	114	142
Highland		112
Waynesburg	23	113
Hustonville	224	233
Crab Orchard	137	234
Walnut Flat	46	89
King's Mountain	81	47
Totals	1,164	1,368
Majority		204

There was some talk among the whisky men of taking out an injunction to prevent Judge Varnon from entering the result of the election upon record, but no such attempt was made and the matter was duly entered.

AN ASTOUNDING PLEA .- Some time ago, Masterson Peyton, as attorney for the estate of the late Robert Blain, brought suit against Font Fox Bobbitt in Judge Var- Louisville, Ky. non's quarterly court on a plain note given April 25, 1879, for \$67.50 with 8 per cent. interest. In his answer filed and sworn to in open court Tuesday, Bobbitt admits the execution of the note, but denies, though it is expressly stated, that it was given for value tions. He preached 121 sermons.-[Kenreceived, and that the pretended consideration was illegal and void. He states that in 1874 there were three candidates for county attorney of Lincoln, two of whom was entered into between them that if fendant would pay him \$150 a year to assist him in the conduct of the office during | bath. his encumbency; that Col. Blain did with. draw and that the note sued on was for the balance of the six hundred dollars, which was alleged to be due on the illegal contract, which defendant avers and charges was contrary to public policy, millegal, null and void." In his speech in support of this answer, Mr. Bobbitt subjected himself to the humiliating position of begging the Court to condemn his own the Kentucky Conference as reported for act as unlawful and immoral. Most any close of the present Conference year, is 25,other man in the world would have paid the poor widow the amount of the debt, rather than make so unenviable a spectacle of his own acts, but Bobbitt, like the Phar. In 105 pastorates. Twenty new church of the world would have paid the properties and the church buildings reported is 200, representing 105 pastorates. Twenty new church the properties and the properties of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. Terms made easy. Apply to me on the premission of the kitchen door; a large and good garden. other man in the world would have paid 436, a net increase of 1,636 on member-THE REW revenue law went into effect isee, thanks God, no doubt, that he is not buildings, erected and in progress of erec-Wednesday and Assessor E. D. Kennedy is like other men. Judge Varnon Intimated tion, are reported for the present year. The already on his rounds. He will have about that as the note was given after Bobbitt's total number of young ministers received by consent taken to the circuit court.

10 cents and it will pay you to lay in a supply.

A convention will be held here to-morrow afternoon to express the choice of the printed in neat form The exercises begin democracy of the county for a member of the Board of Equalization.

THE sun lose in a cloudless sky yesterday after four days of cold rainy weather, and the beautiful hills never looked greener or more inviting in autumn.

IT is said that under an older statute the

COUNTY CLERK G. B. COOPER desires us claims against the county to be filed 10 days before the court to pass upon them. The Court of Claims meets the 1st Monday in October and claims to receive attention must be filed by Sept. 25.

COMMENDABLE. - The old colored man, Martin McCormack, who recently drew \$3,585.67 arrears of pension and will hereafter get \$72 per month for total blindness, can be seen any good day breaking rock on the Hustenville turapike, at which work he WE are in recept of numerous contribu- has become quite an adept. The sudden tions pro and con the prohibition law, but acquisition of wealth has not turned his

MARRIAGES.

-Mr. Charles Greathouse, of the Louisville Times, was married at Ann Arbor, Mich., Wednesday to Miss Mary Curtis.

-Young Jay Gould and Miss Edith Kingdon, the pretty actress, were married Tuesday and old Jay seems to have fallen as much in love with her charms as the younger.

-Mr. John Blankenship, of the Preachersville neighborhood, and Miss Alice ren's Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock by Rev. Joe A. Munday, The new pair left on the early express yesterday for Louisville, where they will spend several days of their honeymoon.

-The Gatesville, Texas, Advance, conains an account of the marriage of Miss Pat- killig 62. tie McCormack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCormack, of this county, to Mr. | 41; hogs weak at 31 to 43; sheep and lambs T. W. Patterson, of Tyler, Texas. The active at 1 to 3 for the former and 21 to 43 marriage occured at Mr. R. M. Hill's. Mr. for the latter. Patterson is spoken of as a very estimable young man, and everybody in this section can testify to Miss Pattie's many superior traits of character. We join all her friends here in congratulations and good wishes.

DEATHS.

-Mack C. Bosley, third son of Mr. J. S. Bosley, died yesterday after a long illness THE official returns of the prohibition of consumption. He was about 23 years

-The marriage of Mr. Will H. Brady mond Herald. to Miss Maggie Hendricks, an unusually ants. It will be observed that Waynesburg pretty girl, was solemnized at the bride's night, by Rev. John Bell Gibson. Mr. Newell Elmore and Miss Maggie Russell, of Harrodeburg, were the attendants. Mr. bride but 17. After the ceremony, the ures as above. bridal party drove to the residence of Mr. F. G. Brady and later the happy couple were treated to a grand charivari. Among the guests present at the marriage were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raney, of Lexington, and Miss Mamie Brady, of Harrodsburg.

RELIGIOUS.

-To-day, to-morrow and Sunday are the last chances you will have to hear Mr. Barnes at Dripping Springs. The weather the rule.

-At Lynchburg, Va., the First Baptist church, one of the finest edifices of the kind in the South, costing \$80,000, was ded-

-Rev. J. M. Evans held meetings eight neighboring churches in Union county: 161 confessions; 128 connected with the Presbyterian church and 33 with other denomina-

tuckian. -The Winchester Conference resolved that the members of the Conference should not serve camp meetings where the Sabbath were himself and Blain; that an agreement is desecrated by ordinary business or by running excursion trains, nor should they Blain would withdraw from the race, de- assist in the conduct of such meetinge, where the gates are opened on the Sab-

-The handsome new Catholic church at New Haven was dedicated last Thursday by Bishop McCloskey, assisted by 27 clergymen. An immense crowd was present, estimated at three thousand. The ceremonies were very impressive, and lasted four itated against the public good and was il. hours. The same Bishop will dedicate a church next Sunday at Ottenheim, in this county.

-The total membership of the church in

-Every one interested in Sunday-school work should attend the convention at Rush i

CALF & FORTAR have just received a Branch Churca to morrow. The commit grass seed at bottom prices. Wearen & large stock of new Timothy and Clover tee of arrangements, Messrs. R S. Porter, G. P. Bright, James M. Beszley, W. H. You can get coal delivered here now for Higgins, James Robinson, S. S. Myers and A. A. Warren, has fixed an interesting programme, embracing among many other good things a basket dinner, and the county chairman, Mr. R. E Barrow, has had it

at 9:30 to-morrow morning and end at 8:40

-The Kentucky Conference of the South ern Methodist Church, which has been in session a week at Winchester, adjourned Tuesday to meet next year at Covington. For this, the Danville district, the following appointments were made: Presiding drug stores will be permitted to take out Elder, J. W. Fitch; Danville, E. H. Pearce license to continue to sell whisky on pre- and H. M. Linney, (supply); Harrodsburg, scription. If this is so, tho old negro's J. A. Henderson; Perryville, S. M. Spear; querry "what you guine to do for camphire Mackville, J. A. Caywood; Chaplin, W G. if prohibition is carried?" can be very easi- Grinstead; Lawrenceburg, S. M. Currier and W. J. Doran; Camdensville, G. G. Ragan; Salvisa, L. D. Shaw; Jessamine, W. W. to call attention to the law which requires Spates; Lancaster and Kirkeville, S. W. Peeples; Stanford, F. S. Pellitt; Richmond. W. E. Arnold; College Hill, D. H. Marris mon; Somerset, E. P. Gifford; Canton Mission, Wm. Oakey; Casey Mission, E H Godby; Providence, H. B. Cockrell; Gar rard Female College, Morris Evans. J. R. Deering goes to Lexington; H. C. Morrison to Highland; J. S. Sims to Shelbyville; N B. Duncan to Crrb Orchard; W. T. Eckles to Hezel Green and W. B Ragan to Lon-

LAND. STOCK AND CROP

-Wheat is weak at Chicago at 76%. -A splendid lot of milk cowe to sell by

Jas. E. Lynn. -J. E. Bruce bought of sundry parties 18 steer calves at \$11 to \$17.

-A bull calf in Scott county, not quite 2 years old, weighs 1,800 lbs. -A vineyard of one acre in O dnam

county yielded 8,000 pounds of grapes. -The Green River Colored Agriculturai Association meets at Columbia Ost. 6 and 7.

-For Sale -A No. 1 milk cow, with a right young calf. Inquire of S. C. Helm or R. J. Craig.

-For Sale. -A good buggy and saddle horse, 4 years old, bay, well-bred and gentle. Ecquire at this office.

-A flock of sheep got on the track of the Grand trunk Railway near Furgus, Cantda, and the train dashed through them, -Cattle are dull in Louisville at 2 to

- For sale -Fifteen nice, 2 year old steers; also 150 bushels of Northern white

rye, Apply at once to R H. Bronaugh, Crab Occhard. 7th-4t. -O. B. Caldwell bought a suckling saddie colt, sired by Second Jewel, of A. L. Denny, of Lincoln for \$125. This colt

took two premiums at the Danville fair. -Parkeville News. -At the sale of the personalty of the late election, which were opened and compared old and had always been a moral, upright Col. John A. Duncan aged mules brought Wednesday, show that the majority in its boy. The funeral will be at the family \$150 to \$195; one pair mules \$351; horses favor is 204 or two less than reported in residence at 9 o'clock this morning after \$100 to \$160; 2 year-old cattle 4c; yearling heifers \$22.50; cows \$28 to \$50; corn in the

field \$1.17 to \$1.23; old corn \$2 - [Rich-

-Horses sold at Sam Owens' sale Tuecday at \$105 to \$170; a 5 year old jennet is the banner precinct, the prohibitionists father's, Mr. J. M. Hendricks, Tuesday and colt for \$132; cows at 30 to \$40; heifers at \$18 to \$20; sheep at \$2.75; hogs at \$4 16 per hundred and shoats at \$2 40 per head Corn in the field sold at \$1.26. E. D. Ken-Brady is just 20 years of age and his bonnie nedy sold some stock at about the same fig-

> -The 225 acre farm of the late Jacob Hostetter, lying about five miles from Lexington on the Georgetown pike, was sold at public auction for \$137.50 per acre. W H. Cheppu, the well-known bookmaker, was the purchaser, and he will convert the

beautiful place into a first-class stock farm. -Simon Wiehl bought 50 head of 300 pound hogs at 4c, to be delivered Oct. 10 Redman sold to Proctor 17 2 year old, 1, 200-pound cattle at 4c. Lehman Brothers has been bad, but good audiences have been | bought 81 cattle, ranging in weight from from 1,480 pounds to 1,640, at 4.65 and 43 cents. - [Winchester Damocra'.

- Rain has interferred greatly with the Somereet Fair, though the attendence and icated Sunday by Rev. John A. Broadus, of the show has not been much effected. J. E. & J. R. Farris, of this county, took the premium in the model stallion ring; C. L. and a half weeks at Morganfield and two Crow for matched mares; A. B McKinney for 3-year-old bull, A. M. Feland for bull calf and cow under 2 years; W. M. Dodd various premiums on cattle and horses.

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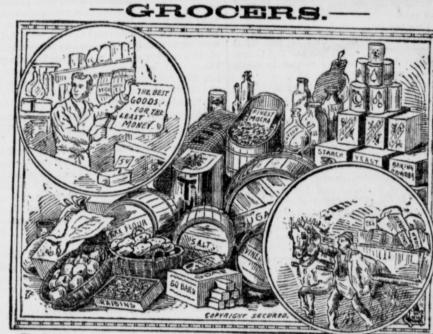
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CURRITUCK JOE.

The coast of North Carolina is not an inviting one. From their earliest acquaintance with it sailors have shunned Cape Hatteras, and many a foreboding shake of the head accompanies the words with which they speak of that stormy point. The loom of its sinister clouds is the signal to put close reefs in the topsails, and the skipper whose vessel has drifted too near its desolate shore paces his deck, with keen eyes scanning the western horizon, all through the long and storm-filled hours of the night.

And the winds have a different tone when they surge along the waves that roll foamcrowned and furious against its shifting sand dunes. There is an exaltation, a victorious shouting, in their rush, that seems to tell of a

supreme sovereignty. North of Hatteras, and running southward from the border of Virginia, is Gurrituck sound, a respectable sheet of water, separated from the ocean by a narrow belt of sand, such as defends the entire seaboard of North Carolina. This-immense sea bar-for it can be called nothing else-is not an inviting place of residence, and when the heavy northeast gates come roaring down the coast, there is a wildness and gloom pervading it that is anything but cheerful. Wrecks are frequent during the winter and early spring, when the great gales are most prevalent, and then the men at the government life saving stations have wet and stormy work to do. The sullen boom of a gun will bring them forth to meet the rush and sting of chilling sleet, when night's darkness lies so

heavy on the earth that sight is impossible. Currituck bar has long been a favorite resort of mine, more from a sentimental menory, perhaps, than from its actual pleasures. Still, I find in its wildness, and in the peculiar, seemingly wreck-haunted, atmosphere that is its heritage, an antidote for the toil of a life that has seen but few ether changes besides the annual visits to its barron wastes during the season when game was to be found along its shores. My journeys began quite a number of years ago, before the life saving service had planted its stations along the tempest-swept beach, and were inaugurated by one of those apparently unimportant occurrences that pass and are forgotten, until an epoch in one's existence brings them out with startling vividness.

I was roaming through the market at Norfolk, baving been called there by business, which, while giving me many spare hours, still necessitated a stay of several days, when I saw some fine ducks exposed for sale, veritable canvas backs, and plump as partridges fresh from a buckwheat stubble. As I was to start for home the next morning, a desire to become the owner of some of these took possession of me, which their owner was quick to perceive.

Better take a pair or two of 'em; they're right good, young and fat and tender," he said, looking up at me with eyes so full of kindliness, and yet so woful with serrow, that I was startled and did not answer immedi-

"They're fresh as a nor'east gale on Currituck," he went on; "I know it, fur I shot 'em

Where?" I questioned, eager to know something of the owner of such strange eyes.

"Down on Currituck." "Where is that?"

The man appeared to be a little surprised to find that a person existed so ignorant as not to know that famous locality, and then he gave me the desired information.

"It's in North Car'lina, just out of Vi and is one of the coast sand bars."

"Is the game plentiful?" "If you mean ducks, yes."

"Do you live there?" "Yes. I only come to Norfolk once or twice a year, to stock up. I'm not a truckster; I

A few more questions elicited the knowledge of how to get to the favored land, and then I purchased the entire lot of his ducks, giving him, much to his surprise and gratification,

his full price. As I turned away with my prize he said: "If you ever come down that way and want some good duck shooting, just ask for Currituck Joe. All the fellows as paddle down

that way know me." I thanked him, and having hired a colored boy to carry my purchase, went back to my

It was two years after my visit to Norfolk, when one morning the telegraph brought word that a ship belonging to our house had

gone to pieces just south of Currituck light. Some one will have to go down there and gather all the news there is to be found out." said the senior partner, and I immediately volunteered; for at the sound of the name, there came before me the gleam of the piteous eyes, and the echo of words that gradually grew distinct as "Currituck Joe.

I arrived at Norfolk two days after this and took passage on a small steamer plying in the waters I wished to visit.

We came to the place where the first drift from the wreck lay, and found a mass of planking, torn and broken, and strangely exemplifying the supreme power held by the wrath of wind and wave, when brought into contention with the work of man. Further on along the beach were piled boxes and hales, carefully covered by fragments of the deck and bulwarks.

As we neared one of these, a figure, roughly clad in a brown tarpaulin suit, rose from a sitting posture beneath a rudely formed tent of rent canvas, and I saw before me the man I had met in the market at Norfolk two years previous.
"There's Currituck Joe," said my guide.

"He's been a lookin' out for the goods." The man approached, walking with a curious, shuffing gait, as though deprecating

any adverse criticism that his appearance might arouse. Good mornin'," he said, bowing awk-

warqily.
"Good morning, Joe," I answered, extending my hand.

He took it hesitatingly, but my strong grasp seemed to reassure him, and I thought that he straightened up as he felt it. "Be you one of the insurance men?" he

"No, the ship belonged to our house, and the eargo was consigned to us." "There's not much of it left for anybody,"

"I see that there is but little; where are the

men that were saved?" "Gone north. There was only three; the

sest got washed away by a sea just as the ship *Truck."
"How were the three saved?"

"Oh, a boat put out to 'em, as soon as there mes light enough to show they were left." With a natural modesty, Joe refrained from saying that he was the man who spurred

the boat's crew into action, and led them in-

to their successful struggle for those three Having no special call to hurry back to New York, I wrote a letter to the firm, giving them the information needed to guide thom regarding the insurance, and dispatching this to the nearest postoffice by the boat that had brought me to the bar, accepted Joe's invitation and spent the next week with ham. We had a short gale the next night efter our arrival, but Joe called it a baby affair; and as the sun shone out the next day and the shooting was good, I thought he must We right, though the wind that had shook the

watches of the night, sending great masses of sand sweeping in from the sea and far out on the sound was as fierce as any I had ever

When I left the bar Joe pressed me to visit him again next year. After my return to Norfolk I sent him a box full of pipes, tobacco and fishing and hunting stuff I had found out be would like, adding a large can of whisky, a beverage he used when a storm had wet him to the skin and chilled his blood, and only at that time; and shortly

whole-souled letter of thanks. The first day of the next December found me in Norfolk on my way to Curumak, and I reached Joe's hut one evening just as the sun sunk in a glory of amber and pink that made the sound look like a vast sheet of dormant flame.

Joe was away, but the door was open, and having stowed my traps and some bexes I had brought for him, I threw a lot of driftwood on the smouldering embers, and soon had a glowing fire, lighting the rudely fur-

nished room, in whose corners the gathering twilight had made deep shadows. Joe came in shortly after the fire had got well under way and gave me a cordial greeting, and a very favorable report as to the prospects for a good two weeks' sport. We were out early the next morning, and for five days had excellent weather and fine shooting, but the morning of the sixth day brought a change. The sky was covered with a thin gray vapor, and the sun shone in this like a great red ball. Gradually the grayness grew deeper, and the vapor thickened to vast masses of cloud.

Then the sun changed its bue to a dull yellow, and slowly faded out from sight, and as it disappeared the low moaning in the air grew wonderfully intense.
"Ther'll be a hard blow," Joe had said in

the early morning, and after eating our breakfast we strolled over toward the seaward

Joe's hut was sheltered by a collection of sand dunes, among which its low roof rose like a sharper point. It stood midway between the ocean and the sound, and a short walk was all that was needed to reach either. When we came to the beach the waves were rolling up its changing sands with a regular monotony that seemed utterly devoid of fierceness, but soon a wild, sobbing murmur sounded across the wide eastern expanse, and they grew more restless, and began to toss little foam-crowned crests against each other. The day during its first part was a changing dreariness. The somber hue of the sky, and the storm sounds in the air, deep ened, and the great waves darkened, as the gloom above them assumed a density that soon was sadly oppressive. Occasional puffs ruffled the water, and these quickly grew heavier and more frequent.

Then Joe, who had clambered to the top of a sand dune, cried: "There she comes," and hastening to his side, I saw what seemed a huge wall of white foam rushing shore-

Then some sharply driven rain drops struck hard on our faces, and, with a roar, the first great gust of the gale surged past us, and the foam-crowned waves rolled thundering up the beach.

We found shelter in a low shed made of wreck drift, and there watched the sea. It was a grand and a wild sight, that tumult of water with the wind surging over it, and there was a fascination in it that must be felt to be known. As we stood watching this tempest-painted picture, a man came swiftly down the beach, the wind driving him before it. He made for our shelter, and, as soon as he could regain the speech that the gale had deprived him of, said:

"There's a schooner t shore above us, but I don't think she can weather the point yonder."

Joe sprang toward the beach. "We must have the boat ready," he said. There were several men in the shed, and

one asked: "Do you know the vessel?" "Yes, it is Mark Ward's schooner. I know

her by the yellow square on her quarter." I noticed that the men turned their glances toward Joe, and that his face grew peculiarly hard and white; but it was only for a moment, and then it assumed the old look, only a strength and firmness came to the eves that made them burn with a strange brilliancy. He seemed more erect, too, as he grasped a line that hung against the wall of the shed. and there was a tone of command in his voice, as he said:

"Come boys, we have no time to lose," and went out, and down the beach, battling with the wind that almost took him off his feet.

We followed, and soon reached a low building, in which the men who were Joe's companions, and he, kept a small but serviceable lifeboat. It was where a short point jutted out just inside of a large headland, formed a shallow, partially protected bay. The wind was from the northeast, and as this point reached out toward the southward, it had a narrow belt of comparatively smooth water bordering its leeward face. The boat was run close to this, and the men, lying down under the lee of the sand dunes, watched the vessel to the northward, as she made desperate fight for an offing.

"She can't reach out beyond the point," said one, "for she can't carry sail enough." The schooner was under short canvas, having close reefs in all her sails; and still the wind seemed to bury her in spray, as it drove her down toward the sand. To spread more sail was impossible, as that already set was strained to its utmost capacity, and a larger surface would bring upon it more power than it could bear.

"No, sir, she can't reach out beyond the point," said the eldest man of the group, "and t shoals fearfully there. I don't think there is much chance for either vessel or crew." Again the men turned toward Joe with the strange look I had before noticed, but he

made no sign. All this time the schooner had been drawing nearer, driven on by the cruel gale, and signals for help were now flung out, showing that her crew had given up all hope of reaching the open water beyond the point.

Joe, seeing this, removed his waterproof suit and stepped into the boat. A coil of small line lay in the stern, its end run through a fair-leader. This end he passed to the men on shore, and then sat down and grasped an oar. As he did so his companions seized the boat and gave her a shove clear into the water, three of them springing in with Joe. Then, with strong, steady strokes, they bent to their work and the boat shot forward just as a loud, despairing hail came sounding in on the wind.

We looked seaward and saw that the schooner had grounded and was lying broadside to the waves, which were rolling on board of her in huge masses. Their force was terrific and they soon drove her stern around, each blow making her masts tremble like reeds. This new position was an easier one for the vessel, but the men said that she would not last long, as the seas were growing and the wind still kept rising. We saw her men elinging to the rigging, but our main interest was centered in the boat, which was making slow progress out toward her. It was a hard battle and a desperate one, for the waves came rolling in, heavy and foamcrowned, and the wind roared along, tossing their curling crests far up the sand.

But Joe and his companions were stout and fearless and had often been in similar

We need the money due us for subscription and would be obliged to all in arrears to remit at

positions, and slowly they neared the ground ed craft. Often, however, it looked as though they would be flung back, and at other times we lost sight of the boat and thought her swamped. Then she would appear once more, and keep on toward her goal. The schooner made a lee of smooth water, and after a half hour of work that seemed more than human, the boat ran into this, and we sent her a cheer of hope; but it was too soon, for the next instant a huge wave swept around the vessel's bow, and, coming over her side, caught the lifeboat and flung it in on the deck.

We saw some struggling forms, but could distinguish nothing, for the sprays were drivafter my arrival home received a shaple, but ing between the masts, enveloping the men as in a mist. We also saw that they were getting the small line clear, and soon a signal told us to haul it ashore. We did so, bringing a stout tow-line, which we could see the men make fast to the schooner's mainmast as soon as we had the end secured to a heavy spile sunk in the sand. Then we saw them working at the lifeboat, and in a little time she was launched, and a limp form passed carefully into her.

The men then pulled slowly toward the shore by the line, a dangerous undertaking, as the wind made the now heavily loaded boat surge fearfully, and the waves bore down on her as though they would sweep her from sight. But she battled on, and in a short time, though it seemed ages to us, reached the smoother water under the lee of the smaller point and was soon drawn well up on the beach.

We gathered round the boat and I was shocked to see, lying in the stern sheets, the pale, still face of Currituck Joe. A ghastly cut on his head was oozing blood and there was the unmistakable sign of death's nearness about him, which sent a chill to my heart. The presence of life even now was only discernible by a slight twitching of the lips, the evidence, as I knew, of intense suf-

"Flung against her mast," said one of the boat's crew, in answer to an inquiry. "I knew he would give his life away for some one, but didn't think it would be for Mark

A stout man was standing near by look ing at Joe's white face with tear-wet eyes. His breast was heaving, showing that his heart was throbbing fiercely, and when he heard the words, he said:

"I am sorry, boys; I wish it was me lying there instead of Joe." Though curious to knew the meaning of these, to me, strange words, I felt that Joe should be attended to, and had him earried to his home.

"Can you get a dector!" I questioned. "There's none on the bar, and no one on the mainland would cross the sound to-day,'

was the answer. But Joe was already passing beyond the need of any man's care. As I bent over him, where he lay in his rude bunk, his eyes unclosed, and a look of intelligence came into

"Is he safe?" he whispered. "Yes," I answered.

"Then it's all right. Tell him I say it's all

His hand tightened its clasp on mine, as I said I would attend to his wish. Then a bright smile lit up the brown face, and gleamed in the eyes, driving from them the sorrow I had seen there, and the next moment this sorrow had faded in the glory of a grander life.
The storm was raging fearfully, the wind

shaking the rude hut with a force that seemed equal to its destruction; but it stood firm and I watched by the dead, sorrowing for the loss of a true friend. The men had returned to the beach, to

gather the wreckage that might drift ashore, and it was late when the man who seemed to take the lead, now that Joe was gone, looke

I told him that his comrade was at rest, and asked him to send for a coffin.

"That can't be done till the morning," he said, "and I might as well help you watch. I'n tell the boys, for they're mighty anxious. It's a sad day for us, sir, for Joe was the best man on the beach. I'll be back soon," and he went

He returned in a short time, and after getting the fire in order, he prepared some supper, of which we partook, and then sat down by the glowing blaze, for the wind was raw and chill, and sent its currents through every crack and erevice.

"What is it that links Joe's past to the life of the schooner's skipper?" I asked.

"They were neighbors and schoolmates over beyond the sound," answered the man, "and both likely young fellows when the war came. Joe had begun studying law, and Ward went to sea with his father, the captain of a coaster. Well, they both enlisted, and Joe was taken prisoner. Ward knew of this, and came home wounded. It is said that Joe and he were both after the same girl, but the story is that she favored Joe. Well, when Ward reached home, he gave out that Joe was dead, and then made up to the girl. She mourned for Joe six months or more, but, you know, a young nature will throw off grief, and Ward was very attentive, and sympathetic, and consoling, and the result was that she prom-

ised to have him. "He hurried up the wedding, saying that he wanted to get back to his regiment, for his wound was about well, and so they were married. The next week Joe got back, having been exchanged, and when he found that he had lost the girl he give right up and come over here, and he has lived on the bar ever

"Ward said that he truly thought Joe was dead, but the folks all think that he trumped up the yarn just to get the girl; in fact, they know it, but they keep still for the woman's sake, as she is nice and a good neighbor.

"As for Joe, he had set his heart on her so that the loss just broke him all up, and he never went back to his old home again. He has lived on the bar ever since, carrying his fish and game across to a landin' to sell and now and then running up to Norfolk. He never met Ward, who went coasting again as soon as the war was over, until he saw him to-day.

"We didn't think be would go off to help, but Joe was true grit. He has saved lots of people, and it does seem too bad that he should meet his death while rescuing the man who blasted his life."

But so it was; and two days after that we buried him in a grave made among the sand dunes, in whose company he had passed so many lonely years. It was his wish that no stone nor sign should mark the place, and we

held his wish sacred.
"Let the winds sing free above me, and the sun shine across the place," he had said, when talking of this time, in the days when we had thought it a long way off; and there, with the surf roar sounding over his uamarked grave, Currituek Joe sleeps in peace; the sorrow that wrecked his kie and love forgotten.—Thomas S. Collier in Overland Monthly.

A Big Load of Saw-Logs

The biggest load of saw-logs ever hauled over a road in Washington territory recently arrived at Seattle. There were eighteen logs ranging from 24 to 120 feet in length. The longest ones are intended for vessels, masts, and one has a diameter of thirty-six inches and another forty-eight inches in the middle. The latter contains 13,000 feet of lumber, and the total measurement is about 100,000 feet. Their gross weight is about 650,000 pounds, and they are to be shipped to the Atlantic coast,-N/w York Tribune.

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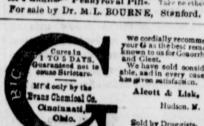
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